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The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni
Chief Clerk
SC Public Service Commission
P.O. Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

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RE: Application of Vanco Direct USA, LLC for a Certificate to Provide Resold Interexchange And Local Exchange Communications Services, and for Flexible Rate Structure for Local Exchange Service Offerings First Approved in Docket No. 97-467-C, **Docket No. 2005-231-C, Our File No. 1031-10310**

Dear Mr. Terreni:

On behalf of Vanco Direct USA, LLC, ("Vanco"), I am writing to request that the Commission waive the 120-day "deadline" set out in S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-280(B) in order to allow a reasonable amount of additional time for this Docket to come to a conclusion. I have discussed this matter with counsel for the ORS, and the ORS joins in this request.

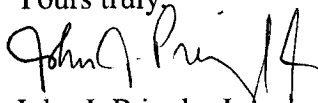
The Applicant is aware that the Commission has extended one or more statutory deadlines in recent Dockets, and believes that a waiver is appropriate in this Docket for a number of reasons. First, the deadline established by Act 354 (like the arbitration deadline set out in the Federal Telecommunications Act) exists for the benefit of the parties. The parties hereby waive their right to raise the Commission's "failure" to act within the statutory deadline in any appeal that could conceivably be taken from any Commission Order issued in this Docket.

Second, granting the proposed waiver would be in the best interest of all parties and the Commission, because it would allow adequate time for the parties to hold a hearing and attend to the remaining steps that precede a final Order from the Commission in the Docket.

Please contact me if you have any questions or need further information.

With kind regards, I am

Yours truly,


John J. Pringle, Jr.

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